



SGM Thomas W. Coleman

SGM Thomas W. Coleman, SGM of Program Executive Office (PEO) Soldier, was born in McKeesport, PA. He enlisted in the U.S. Army in 1985, and completed Basic and Advanced Individual Training at Fort Benning, GA.

SGM Coleman has served the Army for more than 22 years in various Airborne and Light Infantry assignments throughout the United States, including 3rd Battalion, 504th Infantry, Fort Bragg, NC; Joint Readiness Training Center, Little Rock AFB, AR, and Fort Polk, LA; 1st Battalion, 32nd Infantry, Fort Drum, NY; 1st Battalion, 50th Infantry, Fort Benning, GA; 3rd Battalion, 502nd Infantry Regiment, the Air Assault School, and 1st Battalion, 327th Infantry, Fort Campbell, KY. He has served as a Fire Team Leader, Squad

Leader, Platoon Sergeant, Senior Drill Sergeant, Company First Sergeant, and Operations Sergeant Major.

SGM Coleman has participated in four combat deployments: Operation Just Cause, Panama; Operations Desert Shield/Desert Storm; and Operations Iraqi Freedom I and IV.

SGM Coleman's military education includes Basic Airborne Course, Ranger School, Jump Master Course, Pathfinder Course, Air Assault Course, Rappel Master Course, Drill Sergeant Course, Primary, Basic and Advance Noncommissioned Officer Courses, First Sergeant Course and the United States Army Sergeants Major Academy. SGM Coleman has an associate degree in Business Management from Troy University.

His awards and decorations include the Bronze Star Medal with two oak leaf clusters, Meritorious Service Medal with three oak leaf clusters, Army Commendation Medal with three oak leaf clusters, Army Achievement Medal with three oak leaf clusters, Good Conduct Medal (7th Award), National Defense Service Medal with bronze star, Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal, South West Asia Service Medal with two bronze stars, Iraq Campaign Medal, Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary Medal, Global War on Terrorism Service Medal, Humanitarian Service Medal, Noncommissioned Officer's Development Ribbon with numeral 4, Army Service Ribbon, Kuwait Liberation Medal, Army Valorous Unit Award, Army Meritorious Unit Commendation, and the Army Superior Unit Award. He has earned the Combat Infantryman's Badge with star, Expert Infantryman's Badge, Pathfinder Badge, Air Assault Badge, British Foreign Airborne Wings, Drill Sergeant Badge, Ranger Tab and the Master Parachutist Badge.

SGM Coleman is dual-hatted as SGM of Natick Soldier Systems Center. SGM Coleman and his wife, Tammy, have two daughters, Nichole and Hope, a son, Colton, and a grandson, Brandon.